

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Inventor: Ching-Yuan LIN

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For: Method for Saving Power of Cellular Phone

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Preliminary to the examination of the above identified new application, please amend the application as hereinafter specified.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 3 as shown on the appended APPENDIX OF AMENDED CLAIM. A marked-up copy of amended claim 3 is also appended hereto as APPENDIX OF MARKED-UP VERSION OF AMENDED CLAIM

REMARKS

The claim has been amended to remove multiple dependencies for the sole purpose of reducing the filing fee of this application. Such amendments have been effected without prejudice or disclaimer, and applicant reserves the right to submit the same or different multiple dependent claims for consideration in the future upon payment of the required multiple dependent claim fee.

If the Examiner should have any questions concerning this matter, the undersigned may be reached at his Alexandria, Virginia office at (703) 683-0500.

Respectfully submitted,

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APPENDIX OF MARKED-UP VERSION OF AMENDED CLAIM

3. (Amended) The method of claim 1 [or 2], wherein said cellular phone enters said power saving mode by blanking said display.

APPENDIX OF AMENDED CLAIM

3. (Amended) The method of claim 1, wherein said cellular phone enters said power saving mode by blanking said display.